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For: COMPRESSED HIGH DENSITY FIBROUS POLYMERS  
SUITABLE FOR IMPLANT

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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO SECOND OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In regard to the Office Action dated June 23, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Please enter Applicants' **Amendments to the Claims**, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants provide **Remarks** that begin on page 10 of this paper.

Applicants are concurrently tendering with this paper a petition and fee for a two-month extension of time, to permit a timely reply to be filed in connection with this response. If the fee under 37 CFR §1.17(a) turns out to be erroneous, the Finance Division is authorized to debit or credit the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-1020 in the amount of the deficiency or surplus.